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**THE CRUIZE NEWS**  
**THE ALL-AMERICAN CRUIZERS CAR CLUB NEWSLETTER**  
**1st Edition, 2023**

Just as during the past eleven years, both electronic and printed versions will be made available to club members and friends. Hopefully you enjoy receiving a copy, browsing the pictures, and reading the text as much as Sally and I enjoy preparing it for you. If you have any comments or suggestions to improve the newsletter, or have pictures for inclusion, please feel free to forward them to us at [dasrob@embarqmail.com](mailto:dasrob@embarqmail.com) or text 717-320-3620. From us to you, have a safe, healthy, and enjoyable year.

Don & Sally Roberts

**2023 CLUB OFFICERS**

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**2023 CLUB DIRECTORS (TRUSTEES)**

Kevin McCardle	Don Roberts
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**2023 CLUB CHAPLAIN**

### **CLUB DUES AND MEMBERSHIP**

**Club membership runs concurrently with the calendar year. Therefore, dues for the 2023 year are currently being accepted and will continue to be accepted until the end of the year.** Please note that the fees still remain unchanged since the club was founded in 2002, and are extremely reasonable: so, there is no reason not to join or renew. The costs are as follow:

New, full membership is \$25 (First year dues include a club T-shirt & AAC dash card)

Membership renewal is \$10 per year

New, social member, i.e., spouse or no car, is \$20 (First year dues include a club T-shirt)

Social membership renewal is \$5 per year

New, junior membership is \$20 (First year dues include a club T-shirt)

Junior membership renewal is \$5 per year

Reinstatement after two years (\$25 full or \$20 Social/Jr.) does not include a T-shirt and other benefits;



Payment of dues will be accepted at the monthly meetings and at most of the cruise-ins and car shows, picnics, fund raisers, etc., or they may be mailed directly to Treasurer Brent Miller at his home address at 117 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Mifflintown, PA. 17059. **PLEASE NOTE THAT SOME OF YOU MAY OWE FOR THE PAST YEAR AND SOME FOR TWO OR MORE YEARS.** If you have any questions regarding your payment status, please contact Brent, Andrea McCardle or Don Roberts to see whether or not you owe. Thanks, in advance, for choosing to renew your membership.

### **SOME THOUGHTS AS THE NEW YEAR BEGINS**

Still another year dealing with the Covid-19 pandemic, the flu, and RSV has come to an end, and we hope those diseases and others do not impact the upcoming car club season. As the year begins we hope to have more, and varied, car-related events scheduled. Besides our Saturday Morning Breakfasts, our fund raising events, our picnics, and our annual toy drive, we are currently planning a car show for June and attempting to schedule several cruise-ins in the tri-county area of Juniata, Mifflin and Perry. Additionally, we hope to have several impromptu cruises to area parks and other points of interest, so be sure to refer to your weekly, updated emails and monthly newsletters identifying our car club's events, as well as others you might be interested in attending. Finally, we hope you and yours have a safe, happy and healthy new year.



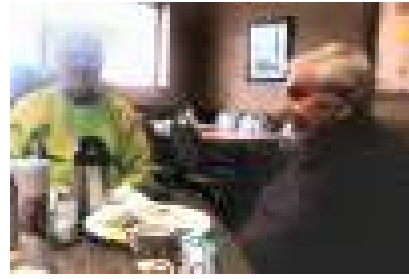
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### **CAR CLUB EVENTS ATTENDED**

#### **OIP BREAKFAST**

Our club held its first so-called “Saturday Morning Breakfast,” for the 2023 calendar year, at the Burnham OIP On January 7. It was quite well attended with some twenty-one members and guests in attendance. Besides the socialization and the good food, mention was made about the possibility of having a club-sponsored car show in June. Most attendees agreed that would be nice and showed a great deal of interest and support, since the club hasn’t sponsored a show in several years. Dave Shirk proposed that we will have more discussion and begin to plan, at the next breakfast, on January 21. Hopefully you can join us and provide much needed input.





## AUTOMANIA

An annual, so-called AutoMania Flea Market & Car Corral was held on the grounds of the Allentown Fairgrounds on January 20 through the 22nd. Several Cruizers members and many other car enthusiasts generally attend this first car-related event of the year. If you have never attended and or need parts for your vehicle, or even memorabilia/Petrolia, this is the place to be. Please note that the event is held both indoors and outdoors, so dress warmly if you go.

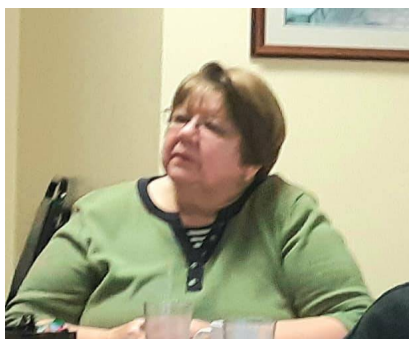






## VINCE'S BRAKFAST

Our car club's second "Saturday Morning Breakfast" in 2023, but the first at Vince's Pizza Restaurant in Burnham, was held on January 21. Some 20 members and guests were in attendance, socializing, enjoying good food, and discussing the club's planned car show scheduled for June 4..



## OIP BREAKFAST

Held on Saturday, February 4, was a second Saturday Morning Breakfast at the OIP location in Burnham. All in attendance had an enjoyable experience talking with each other, eating good food, and discussing club matters. With numerous restrictions at Reed's Gap State Park, a recommendation and decision was made to relocate the June 4 car club show to Blue Rock Sportsmen's Club in New Lancaster Valley, a little closer to Milroy and Reedsville than the park. Even though the date remains the same, the rain date necessitates a change, possibly June 25. If you can, please come to the breakfast on February 18, at Vince's Pizza & Restaurant, and support our efforts with planning the car show. Hope to see you there.

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OIP Breakfast continued





## SHREWSBURY CRUISE-IN

The very first cruise-in of the year is called the Winter Beater Cruise-in and is held on the grounds of the Shrewsbury Farmer's Market.. This year's cruise in was held on Saturday, February 11. It is kind of unique in that trophies are awarded, but to the ugliest vehicles in attendance, despite many other beautiful cars and trucks are on display.





## Shrewsbury continued



## VINCE'S BREAKFAST

A second Saturday Morning Breakfast get-together, for 2023, was held at Vince's Pizza & Restaurant on February 18 at 9:00. As usual, those club members and guests had an enjoyable time socializing, eating too much for breakfast, and discussing the upcoming car show season and the club's car show scheduled for June 4 at Blue Rock Sportsmen Club. Unfortunately



coordinator Dave Shirk was not present, but Ron Wagner mentioned that three food vendors, tentatively, have been secured. More discussion will be held at our monthly meeting in March. Hope you can come and provide your input.



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Vince's Breakfast continued



## HARRISBURG CAR SHOW

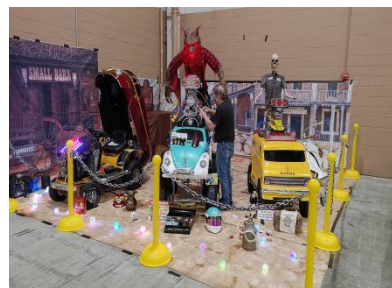
The annual Motorama Car, Truck, and Bike Show/Race was held in the PA Fasrm Show Complex for several days, February 17-19. If you have never attended there are masny antique, classic, muscle and tuner cars on display as well as vendors. Quite a large event for sure.



Harrisburg continued







## SUNSHINE REPORT



Since the last issue of the car club's newsletter was printed/mailed, Sally reported that she sent a "Thinking of You" card to Cruiser Wayne Fickes who underwent an operation on his left hand and will be having another one forthcoming on his right hand. Additionally, a card expressing our "Condolences" was sent to Wayne and Kathy Fickes (both members) on the recent passing of Wayne's brother of cancer. Please keep Wayne and Kathy, as well as all fellow Cruizers members and their relatives, who are ill or inflicted with a disease, in your thoughts and prayers.

Finally, if you know of any member in need of a card mailed from the club, please call Sally Roberts at 717-535-4155, or contact her with the name of that member at the following email address – [dasrob@embarqmail.com](mailto:dasrob@embarqmail.com). Thanks, in advance, for your assistance

## **2023 CALENDAR OF EVENTS (AAC & "Locals")**



Below is a listing of **tentative** AAC and other interesting car-related events for the 2023 calendar year. As this is a tentative list, more dates and events will be added as confirmed and sent out weekly; additionally, you always check the date and time before going. Hopefully you will be able to attend all, or at least some, of the club and other events.

January 7	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT BURNHAM OIP	9:00
January 21	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT VINCE'S PIZZA	9:00
February 4	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT BURNHAM OIP	9:00
February 18	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT VINCE'S PIZZA	9:00
March 4	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT BURNHAM OIP	9:00
March 6	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA	7:00
March 14	AAC FUNDRAISER – HARSHBARGERS, Both locations	Anytime (11:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.)

March 25	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT VINCE'S PIZZA	9:00
April 1	AAC CRUISE-IN AT REEDSVILLE YOUTH PARK FOR 4-H CLUB	9:00 – 2:00
April 3	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S (Nominations)	7:00
April 16	AAC FUNDRAISER – HOSS'S IN LEWISTOWN	11:00 – 9:00
April 19-23	Spring Carlisle Car Show/Swap Meet	7:00 – 5:00
April 29	AAC FUNDRAISER – BREAD OF LIFE, MCALISTERVILLE	Anytime (6:00 a.m - 9:00 p.m.)
May 1	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA (Elections)	7:00
May 4 (5)	AAC CRUISE-IN, NEWPORT TRACTOR SUPPLY	4:00 – 8:00
May 20	AAC SPRING, OUTDOOR PICNIC IN KISH PARK	1:00 – 5:00
May 27	AAC COUNTRY MEMORY DAY CAR DISPLAY	8:00 – 2:00
June 4	AAC CAR SHOW AT REEDS GAP (tentative)	1:00 – 4:00
June 5	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA	7:00
June 18 (25)	AAC CRUISE-IN AT LOCUST GROVE, MIFFLINTOWN	12:00 – 4:00
July 3	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCES PIZZA	7:00
July 8 (15)	Millerstown Car Show	9:00 – 3:00
Aug 1	National Night Out in Kish Park	6:00 – 9:00
Aug 7	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA	7:00
Sept 6 (*Wed)	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA	7:00
Sept 9	New Bloomfield Street Fair & Car Show	9:00 – 3:00
Sept 17	AAC OUTDOOR PICNIC AT KISH PARK	1:00 – 5:00
Sept 23 (Sept 30)	AAC TOY DRIVE AT REGISTER CHEVROLET, THOMPSONTOWN	1:00 – 5:00
Sept 27 –Oct 1	Fall Carlisle Swap Meet/Car Show	7:00 – 5:00
Oct 2	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA	7:00
Oct 7	Register's All-Chevy Show	9:00 – 2:00
Oct 21	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT BURNHAM OIP	9:00
Nov 4	AAC WINTER WONDERLAND CRUISE-IN, REEDSVILLE YOUTH PARK	9:00 – 2:00
Nov 6	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA	7:00
Nov 11	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT VINCE'S PIZZA	9:00
Nov 19	AAC FUNDRAISER – HOSS'S IN LEWISTOWN	Anytime (11:00 a.m . – 9:00 p.m.)
Dec 1-2	LEWISTOWN ICE FESTIVAL	10:00 – 8:00
Dec 2	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT BURNHAM OIP	9:00
Dec 4	AAC MONTHLY MEETING AT VINCE'S PIZZA	7:00
Dec 5	AAC FUNDRAISER – HARSHBARGER'S, Both locations	Anytime (11:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m)
Dec 16	AAC FUNDRAISER – BREAD OF LIFE, MCALISTERVILLE	Anytime (6:00 a.m - 9:00 p.m.)
Dec 30	AAC SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST AT VINCE'S PIZZA	9:00



### OTHER “SEMI-LOCAL” EVENTS OF INTEREST

January 7-8  
January 20-22

Lebanon Indoor Drag Racing Showcase  
Allentown Automania



January 26-29	Pennsylvania Auto Show in Harrisburg
January 27-28	Carlisle Winter Auto Expo
February 5	Johnstown Street Survivors Swap Meet in Windber
February 11	Shrewsbury Winter Beater Cruise-in
February 18-19	Harrisburg Motorama Car, Truck and Bike Show
March 5	Hamburg Car Swap Meet (7-2)
March 19	Blair County AAC C Car Swap Meet
April 13-15	AACA Southeastern Spring Nationals, Charlotte
April 15	Williamsport Penn College Car Show
April 16	Morgantown PA Swap Meet & Car Corral
April 17	National Mustang Day at AACA Museum (9-3)
April 28	Mifflin County Orphan Car Swap meet
May 6	LMTE Herndon Car Show
May 6	CPI Car Show, Pleasant Gap
May 12-13	Carlisle Imports and Performance Nationals
May 13	Schrewsbury Lodge 423 Car Show
May 18-20	Cruisin' Ocean City
<b>May 20</b>	Cruise-in/Fly-in for K9's
May 20	Mel's Car Show at Huntingdon Fairgrounds (10-4)
May 30 (6/1)	Muscle Mania Beavertown Car Show (9-2)
May 21	Leesport Car Parts Flea Market
May 21	GJCTC Car Show/Swap Meet, Johnstown
May 27-28	Morgantown Car Show
June 1	NCRS Judged Show, Altoona Convention Center
June 2-4	Carlisle Ford Nationals
June 2	York Street Rod Nationals
June 10	Mifflinburg Kars for Kamp Car Show
June 16-17	Bellefonte Cruise/Car Show
June 23-24	Carlisle GM Nationals
June 24	Mifflinburg Car Show (10-5)
June 24(25)	Milesburg Legion Car Show
July 8	German Deutch Classic Car Show, Oley
July 14-16	Carlisle Chrysler & Hurst Nationals
July 22-23	All Breeds Jeep Show in Carlisle
July 26-29	Mecum Auto Auction in Harrisburg
August 4-6	Carlisle Truck Nationals
August 5	Vibrant Car Show, Mechanicsburg
August 19	Orbisonia Homecoming Car Show
August 13	CVCCC Cumberland Valley Car Show
August 19 (26)	Camp Anderson Car Show, Tyrone
August 19	Am. Legion Post 972 Car Show, New Cumberland
August 24-26	Corvettes at Carlisle
August 27	Williams Grove Car Show/Flea Market
September 23-24	Delgrosso HavestFest
October 3-6	AACA Eastern Fall Nationals, Hershey
October 5-8	Ocean City Endless Summer Cruisin'
October 29	Williams Grove Fall Fest Car Show/Flea Market

Every Saturday April thru October (5-8) – KSMC Londonderry Cruise-in, Milroy  
Every Saturday May thru Oct (8-11) – Kars & Coffee at the Swigart Museum, Huntingdon  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Monthly May thru October (3-6) – Cruisers' Café, Mount Pleasant Mills

